Western Regional Trauma Care Committee Trauma System Report

January 11, 2008

STCC Terms Complete November 2007

- ACEP
- Trauma Coordinator
- Western RTAC
- MEMSA
- Private Ambulance Service
- MHA
- ENA



Trauma Facility Designation



- Designated facilities in Eastern MT
 - Wheatland Memorial Hospital in Harlowton



Trauma Facility Designation

- Consultation visits are designed to assist in the development of your trauma program
- Designation site visit is supposed to be able to provide input on how your trauma program
- Trauma Facility Resource Criteria
 - Successful completion of ATLS for midlevel providers
 - Medical staff & board of directors resolution signed
 - Trauma team identified with written activation criteria
 - Multidisciplinary trauma committee meetings started
 - Participation in the trauma registry
 - Start performance improvement with EMS involved



Funding Resources

- DPHHS budget
- Partnership with:
 - Hospital Emergency Preparedness
 - \$15,000 available to each hospital
 - MT Health Research & Education Foundation (MHREF)
 - ATLS Instructor course \$3700
 - TNCC proliferation \$2500
 - Midlevel trauma conference in the ERTAC
 - ATLS scholarships each RTAC
 - Two physicians
 - Two midlevel



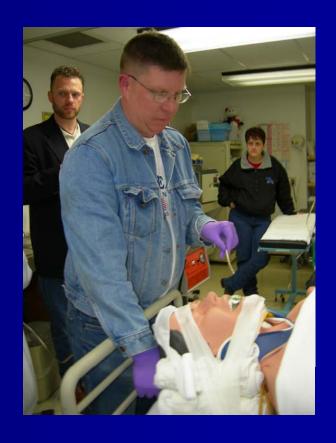
ATLS

- 2008 course dates finalized & many student slots already filled
 - Feb 29 / March 1 in Great Falls
 - April in Billings
 - June in Missoula
 - October in Missoula
 - November in Billings
- ATLS instructor course in Mar 15, 2008



TEAM Trauma Course

- Revision under the direction of Jennie and John Bleicher
- Available NOW
- Support from St.
 Vincent's Emergency
 Preparedness Grant
 through June





Trauma Coordinator Course



- Course for new trauma coordinators
- Feb 26th in Helena after the STCC on the 25th
- Tracey Jones, WY Trauma System Manager



Rehabilitation Facility

- MadonnaRehabilitationHospital
 - Lincoln, NE
 - Patient on ventilator
 - Rancho Level III





Injury Prevention Report

- State injury prevention activities
- EMSC surveys for EMS & hospital
 - Story
- PEPP courses (5)
 - Kevin Fitzgerald
- Interoperability Montana Project
 - P25 mobile communications

